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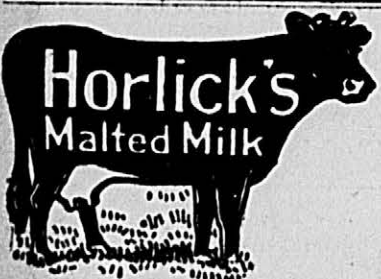
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## TRACK TEAM OFF TOMORROW FOR TORONTO

All Men In Pink Of Condition.

WORK-OUT THURSDAY.

Friday Afternoon Set For Meet—Large Crowd Expected.

The track team will journey to Toronto on Wednesday evening to compete in the Inter-collegiate track championships to be held on Friday afternoon in that city. It has been many years since there was so much interest in the track events and a record crowd is expected at the games.

As the Red and White squad will arrive in Toronto on Thursday, they will have an opportunity to work out there before the meet and should be in the pink of condition for the meet on the following day. Everyone of the men is on edge and none of them will go down to defeat without a hard fight.

It is expected that the team will be given a large send-off at the station by the rooters. The McGill students will not have an opportunity of seeing their team in action against the other squads this season but they can do their bit by giving them a hearty send-off on their way to victory. The team will leave from Windsor station at ten o'clock to-morrow night.

Yesterday, the whole team was out and they all appeared to be in the best of shape to go up against stiff competition. None of them are working very hard this week and they will only be given sufficient to do during the next few days to keep them in good condition.

Now that the team has been definitely picked it is much easier to progress with the work and the work-outs are all short and snappy. Johnson, Kennedy, Hay and King in the sprints should have no trouble in upholding their end of that work as they have all been showing improvement during the past few weeks and are now going as fast as they can at any time. Ant-liff and Hamilton are the main hopes in the distance events and they both appear to have improved since last year. Stephen, Frederick and Creelman are all new comers to the team who will be called upon to show their wares at the longer distances also.

Foss has recovered from a temporary lapse in his form and feels that he will be able to show his best in the jumps and weight events. Kennedy is coming back to his old time form and may surprise many who thought that he would not be in shape in time for the meet. He has a lot of strength in reserve and this should serve him in good stead during the competition.

## SWIMMING CLUB MEET TO-NIGHT

Line-Up For M.A.A.A. Game  
Announced—Seat Sale  
To-Day.

The notice which appeared in yesterday's "Daily" re a practice for the Swimming Club was in error as to time. The practice is scheduled for to-day, at the Y.M.C.A., at 5.20 p.m.

The seats for the M.A.A.A.-McGill game will be on sale to-day at the Union, also at the M.A.A.A. and at the Y.M.C.A. Ladies are invited to be present.

The probable line-up of the M.A.A.A. Senior team is as follows:  
Forwards—D. McGill, Geo. Hodgson, Bob Logan.

Defence—Geo. Ritchie, C. Colville.

Goal—F. Carlin.

The McGill team will be as follows:  
Forwards—Geo. Vernet, Harold Flisk, W. Laidley.

Defence—R. Foss, Les Parsons.

Goal—Curly Walters.

The M.A.A.A. Intermediate team has not been announced as yet. The McGill Intermediates will be as follows:

Forwards—M. Bruker, R. Wach, L. Winters.

Defence—R. Bastable, Owens.

Goal—B. Laidley.

In the event of Les Parsons being unable to play, Owens will replace him. Munroe will fill Owens' place.

Rooters may buy tickets at half price at the regular practice on Wednesday afternoon at the Stadium.

They and the R.V.C. will be admitted for 25c, all others 50c.

## What's On

### TO-DAY

1.15 p.m.—Rifle Club meets at Arts Building.

4 p.m.—Science Rugby practice.

5.30 p.m.—Polo practice at "Y".

5.30 p.m.—McGill A.A.A. meeting in Union.

5.30 p.m.—Maritime Club meeting in Strathcona Hall.

8 p.m.—Literary Dinner in Union.

### COMING

Oct. 27—Commercial Society.

Oct. 27—Polo—McGill vs. M.A.A.A.

Oct. 27—E. T. Club meeting.

Oct. 27—7th Siege Battery Association meeting.

Oct. 28—Mandolin Club.

Oct. 28—Cercle Francais banquet.

Oct. 28—American Club.

Oct. 29—Union Dance.

Oct. 30—Queens at McGill.

Nov. 6—Varsity at McGill.

## TO-NIGHT IS THE NIGHT OF A BIG EVENT

Dinner At the Union Opens  
"Lit's" Programme.

STUDENT-HEADS ASKED

Dr. Leacock Will Speak As  
Guest Of Honor Of The  
Evening.

It is not every night that even the great men at college are invited to such a dinner as is going to be held in the Union to-night.

A member of the "Lit" executive, interviewed by a representative of the "Daily" last night, stated that all arrangements had been completed and that numerous acceptances of the invitations sent out had been received by the secretary.

It seems evident that in addition to good food, those invited will also enjoy the delights of sparkling wit. Dr. Leacock, we are sure, will excel himself this evening, and to those who have never heard him speak, we can promise something quite out of the usual run of after-dinner speeches. But Dr. Leacock will be present not only to amuse, but with the more important object of speaking of the importance of such a society as the "Lit." He has been closely connected with this society in an advisory capacity for many years, and feels very keenly on this point.

In addition to Dr. Leacock, and as an aid to good digestion (for eminent scientists tell us that laughter is one of the greatest factors in this important process), Mr. James Rice has consented to render some of his well-known songs and monologues during the course of the dinner. Lucky indeed are those who have received an invitation.

Following the address of the speaker of the evening, the president of the "Lit" will give a short outline of the year's programme, which contains many original features. All the old monotony of inter-class debates will be done away with, and a series of inter-faculty debates on subjects that will provide some scope for humor and an expression of the speakers' individuality, rather than for the presentation of a mass of statistics and heavy quotations. Also, we are told, the haphazard and irresponsible system of judging that has too often prevailed in the past will be done away with. Two very competent men, in fact, both graduates of the University, and old members of the "Lit," have consented to act as judges at each of the debates. They will take notes of the merit of each individual speaker, both in the debate proper and in the discussion which will follow, and they will have the final word in selecting the men who will represent the University in the Intercollegiate debates. Further details of the programme will be announced at the dinner to-night, and in later issues of the "Daily."

The dinner will take place at eight o'clock, instead of at seven-thirty as previously announced. This change was made because it was anticipated that a number of the guests would have considerable difficulty in adjusting their bow ties to a required nicety.

### SOCIAL SERVICE CLUB.

The Social Service Club will hold its first general meeting at seven-thirty, this evening, in Strathcona Hall. Important matters are to be brought up for discussion and a large attendance is requested.

## TENNIS TEAM WINS HONORS IN TORONTO

McGill Have Only Lost One Match.

MARKEDLY SUPERIOR.

Crocker and Wright Showed  
Exceptional Form For  
College Tennis.

The McGill Tennis team carried off the laurels in the Inter-collegiate finals in Toronto on Friday with the most decisive victory which has been witnessed in Big Four tennis circles for many years. Only one match was lost by the Red and White, and that to Queens in the semi-finals. The rest was a clean sweep and very few of the matches proved even close.

R. M. C. sent word at the last minute that they would be unable to compete owing to lack of practice so the draw was made among Varsity, Queens and McGill, the matches being run off in the form of a tournament. The first day of the preliminaries saw McGill well away to the championship with a lead that neither of her rivals could possibly overtake, the score being 6 for McGill, 3 for Queens and 1 for Varsity. The following morning finished off the preliminaries. Varsity managed to capture one more point, defeating Queens in doubles and the rest went to McGill. In the afternoon the finals were played off, both singles and doubles and the result was an easy victory for the Red and White. The final score was: McGill 11, Queens 3, Varsity 2.

Crocker and Wright, who were chiefly responsible for McGill's brilliant victory, showed ability which is rarely witnessed in college tennis and fairly astonished their opponents and the supporters of the home team. Although Crocker defeated Wright in the semi-finals, the latter was a close second and the two formed an unbeatable combination in doubles. As they are both freshmen McGill seems assured of keeping the cup for several years to come.

The results of Friday's matches are as follows: Preliminaries—Singles, Crocker (McGill) beat Wright (McGill), 7-5, 7-5. Doubles, Sheard and Spencer (Varsity) beat McLachlan and Yule (Queens), 6-2, 5-7, 6-1. Crocker and Wright (McGill) beat Bernard and Ramsay (McGill) by default. Finals—Singles, Crocker (McGill) beat Poyser (Queens), 6-1, 6-0, 6-2. Doubles, Wright and Crocker (McGill) beat Sheard and Spencer (Varsity), 6-1, 6-4, 6-1.

The Y.M.C.A. at Strathcona Hall will be grateful to anyone who can supply a copy of the McGill Handbook for the years 12-13, 13-14, and 15-16, to complete a set.

## ENGLISH RUGBY SQUADS BATTLE

East and West Will Meet  
This Afternoon.

East and West will mix it up on the Old Campus this afternoon, when two English Rugby teams representative of the two distant sections of the Dominion will battle in the first game of the league formed by three McGill teams, the two which play to-day, and the Imperials, formed by a number of Old Country players.

The game has been called for 4 p.m., and the following players will take part in the struggle:

Westerners—Beveridge, Helmecken, Day, Budden, McDougal, F. H. Jones, Adams, T. M. Jones, Mitchell, Kemp, Forrester, Whidden, Whiteside, Shore, McNamee, Price and Nichol.

Easterners—McLean, McDonald, Mitchell, Trites, Dobson, Lawrence, Humphrey, Bearst, Durant, Clarke, Dawson, McIntosh, McKinnon, Lawrence, Spriggs, Lanty, Ross, Murray, Eiderkin.

While these two squads are fighting it out on the Old Campus, the Imperials will prepare for their forthcoming engagements with a practice on the opposite field, commencing at 4.30 p.m. The following are asked to turn out: Bradshaw, Gooch, Murray, Spence, Howas, Adams, Cooper, Patterson, Buchanan, Blundel, Branch, Wilson, Palmer, Duncan, Congleton, and any other men who are not already on the Imperials' strength.

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TUESDAY, OCTOBER 26, 1920.

## THINKING IT OVER

The result of Saturday's game was, of course, a disappointment to all McGill students, but the game itself was a splendid exhibition of intercollegiate football at its best, and we extend our heartiest congratulations to Varsity upon their well-earned victory. That the better team won goes without saying, but there is a strong feeling that when the Blue and White come a-visiting here next month we shall be treated to a struggle which will outdo even the former historic meetings of these old rivals, and we trust there will be a more pleasant sequel to record.

Out of our defeat, however, there are many useful lessons to be learned. Not least of these was the demonstration provided of what can be achieved by a crowd of whole-hearted rooters in the way of support. The encouragement which they afford to their team cannot well be over-estimated, and it is to be hoped that McGill students will prove no whit less outspoken in their support in the games yet to be played.

Another interesting feature of Saturday's game was the active part taken by Varsity's co-eds, in cheering their team to victory. Their performance was in no sense a burlesque but seconded, in very effective manner, the efforts of the male rooters. This is a feature which is capable of much better organization and development at McGill and one which cannot fail to have a decided effect upon our team's chances of success.

There can be no doubt, too, that the team as a whole have profited by their experience and their defeat has rendered them all the more anxious to acquit themselves with credit in the remaining games. They are all imbued with the "will to win" and with the proper kind of support they will do so.

## "TO TALK OF MANY THINGS"

The dinner to be given to-night under the auspices of the Literary and Debating Society will serve as a fitting inauguration of the session's activities. The chief speaker will be Dr. Stephen Leacock, who has always been connected with the "Lit" in an advisory capacity, and who has from the first, realized the possibilities that lie in a well-organized Club of this nature.

At other Universities, and particularly in England, the respective Literary and Debating Societies occupy a unique position amongst University activities, forming as they do a common forum for the expression of every form of opinion. Look, for example, at the Oxford Union which has been referred to as the greatest training-ground for England's foremost debaters and public men. Canada, we are told, is even now on the threshold of a new status as a nation with all the concomitant rights which that entails. These rights, however, are attended by corresponding duties, not least amongst which is the necessity for furnishing her own leaders, who must be men of initiative and education. It is to the Universities that the country must look for her coming public men but it is to be feared that the mere assimilation of book-knowledge can in no case be considered as forming an adequate preparation for high office or large responsibilities.

It is by means of such activities as the Literary and Debating Society that educated opinion, which in this case means student opinion, is given an outlet and a means of expression. If it properly fulfils its function an organization of this sort can prove itself a far more liberal education than a dozen college-courses. It is a truism that what the Universities think to-day the country will think to-morrow and the trend of these debates should prove a valuable indication of the direction in which the tide of public opinion is setting.

It is to be regretted that with the manifold college activities confronting the student, each clamoring for support he not infrequently ends, by reason of his "embarras de choix," in participating wholeheartedly in none. If there is one activity, however, which can safely be recommended to his consideration as affording the maximum of profitable enjoyment, it is the college Literary and Debating Society. We have sufficient confidence in the honest desire of every student to get the most out of his years at college to believe that this year the "Lit" will receive a support commensurate with its importance in the corporate life of the University.

## NOTICES

Members of executives and others are requested to look under this heading for notices of all fatalities. Each notice is absolutely official. The Editor will not be responsible for errors in articles unless the time and date are written out in full when they are sent in.

The Board of Directors of McGill Y.M.C.A. will meet at Stratheona Hall, Wednesday, October 27th, at 6.30. The meeting is important and all members are requested to be present.

## COURSE IN JOURNALISM.

The lectures to be given in the Extension Course on Journalism by J. S. Archibald, of the Montreal Star, will be held at 6 p.m., on Tuesday, instead of Wednesdays, as formerly stated.

## COAT LOST.

Will the person who took a fawn para-rubber raincoat from a locker in the Engineering Building please return to the Janitor at once.

## COMMERCIAL SOCIETY.

The opening meeting of the Commercial Society will be held in the McGill Union to-morrow evening, at 8.15. Further particulars will appear in Monday morning's "Daily," but all students in the School of Commerce are asked to keep this evening free, and turn out en masse for this first gathering of the Society, the executive of which hope soon to announce an attractive programme for the session.

## C.O.T.C. PARADES.

Unless otherwise announced in the "Daily," the C.O.T.C. will parade each Monday night at 7.30 p.m. at the Montreal High School, University street, for drill and lectures.

## WATCH FOUND.

Watch (silver) found on Campus yesterday. Owner apply at Hall Porter's Desk in Union.

## GYMNASIUM CLASSES.

Gymnasium classes will begin on Monday, October 25th, as follows: Medicine 1st Year - Mondays and Wednesdays at 12 noon.

Arts 1st Year - Mondays at 2 p.m. and Fridays at 9 a.m.  
Medicine II. (5 year course) - Mondays at 4 p.m. and Thursdays at 3 p.m.

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\*Commerce I. and II. - Thursdays at 11 a.m. (2nd period to be announced later).

\*Commerce being unable to come at the hours originally set, the second period will be announced as soon as it can be arranged.

## WATER POLO.

At 5.30 p.m. this afternoon the McGill Water Polo team will hold its last practice before the M.A.A.A. game next Wednesday.

## MARITIME CLUB.

Will the following men, members of the executive of the Maritime Club, meet at 5.30 p.m. this evening, in Stratheona Hall:

L. H. Webster  
E. B. Chandler  
R. V. Ward  
A. R. Lawrence  
J. T. McIntosh  
D. McKean  
J. C. Simpson.

As the season's programme of activities will be drawn up at the meeting, it is important that the above mentioned men be present. In the report of the re-organization of the Maritime Club in Thursday's "Daily," the name of E. B. Chandler, M.D., '21, the newly-elected vice-president of the club, was inadvertently omitted.

## WRESTLING PRACTICE.

There will be a wrestling practice at 5.15 p.m. to-day in the Union. Men are asked to come prepared for work.

## FOR SALE.

A first class microscope, with all accessories, in case, for sale. Apply 714 Shuter street.

## LOST.

A leather loose-leaf note book in Union or Library, containing notes on 4th Year Economics. Finder please leave same with Union Porter.

## PHYSICAL EXAM.

All men taking part in the polo games to-morrow night must be physically examined before playing. Dr. Lamb will be at the Molson Hall gym, for this purpose both this and to-morrow evenings between 5 and 6 p.m.

## "CONVERSAT."

The annual "Conversat" will be held at Stratheona Hall, on Thursday, October 28th, at 7.30 p.m. sharp!

## R. V. C. NOTES

### R. V. C. '23.

A class meeting was held on Monday at noon, at which the class fees were decided to be fifty cents. Two hours were decided on for swimming, and handed in to the Athletic Society. There will be a class practice for basketball this Tuesday morning at 10 o'clock. All players turn out. The treasurer urged the girls to pay their "Daily" fees at once.

### SOCIETE FRANCAISE.

There will be an executive meeting of the Societe Francaise in the R.V.C. faculty room, at 1.30 p.m. to-day.

### R. V. C. '22.

An important meeting of R.V.C. '22 will be held in Room 12, Wednesday, at 1 p.m.

### SOCIETE FRANCAISE TO MEET.

The French Society of R. V. C. will hold its first meeting on Wednesday afternoon at 4 p.m. Everybody interested in the Society is cordially invited, especially the Freshies. The Society intends to carry out a very active programme this year, and it is hoped that everyone will show a little "pep" and take a real interest in the meetings. The first re-union will be a very attractive affair; one glance at the programme will show you that this is something you cannot afford to miss. Besides the items here, there will be another treat, which is to be kept secret, but we give you a friendly tip not to miss this surprise. Two years from now you will be paying two or three dollars to squint at this performance from the highest perch of His Majesty's Theatre! No, I can't tell you what it is, but—don't miss it! You never saw anything like this, here before.

1—Address of welcome to the new students.  
2—Reading of the constitution.  
3—Two old French songs.  
4—"Le reve posse," sung by all the students.  
5—Charades.  
6—Tea.

### CANADIAN CLUB.

At the general meeting of the McGill University Canadian Club, held at 5 p.m. yesterday, in the Union, the executive for the year was chosen, and consisted of the following men, one from each faculty:

President—J. C. Farthing.  
Vice-president—Roy Dillon.  
Secretary—John Hall.  
Treasurer—A. L. Caldwell.

A general discussion followed the election, and plans for the year were broached by the members. As yet, nothing specific is ready for publication, but the 1920-21 plans will be announced in the course of the next few weeks.

The president-elect, John Farthing, was chosen McGill representative to the Council of Canadian Clubs.

noon, at 5.30 sharp. Everyone playing in the game to-morrow must be present at this practice.

### McGILL A.A.A.

A meeting of the McGill A.A.A. executive will be held to-day at 5.30 p.m., in the Union.

Presidents of the Football, Track, Harrier, Hockey, Tennis, Swimming, B. & F. Basketball, English Rugby, Gymnasium and Ski-ing Clubs please be present.

K. FORBES.  
Pres. A.A.A.

### RIFLE ASSOCIATION.

One of the ten rifles issued for Saturday's shoot of the Rifle Association has not yet been returned to the Arts Building. Attention of members is drawn to the regulation providing a fine of one dollar in the case of any rifle not returned within twenty-four hours of the shoot. Henceforth this rule will be strictly adhered to by the executive of the club.

### SCIENCE FOOTBALL PRACTICE.

There will be a signal practice on the old Campus to-day at 4 p.m. for the Science team. Science play Medicine on Saturday next, and Arts, Commerce and Law the following Wednesday. Everyone in Science who knows anything about football be sure and be out and help Science win the inter-faculty league.

### 7th SIEGE BATTERY ASSOCIATION.

A business meeting, and informal smoker will be held on Wednesday at 8 p.m. in the Union by the 7th Canadian Siege Battery Association.

### AMERICAN CLUB.

A meeting of the American Club will be held in the Reading Room of the Union at 7.30 p.m. on Thursday, October 28th.

### UNION DANCE.

An informal dance will be held in the Union Friday evening, Oct. 29th. Tickets will be on sale Wednesday, at 1.10 in the Union. The programme will start at 8.15 sharp. Price \$2.00 per couple.

### NOTE OF THANKS.

The owner of the wrist watch which was found on the Campus wishes to express his thanks to the finder. He will do so personally if the finder leaves his name with the "Daily."

DONALD CANTLEY.

## Financial Statement

(Continued from Friday, October 22nd)

### McGILL RUGBY FOOTBALL CLUB.

Summary of Revenue and Expenditure for Year Ended June 30th, 1920.

#### REVENUE.

Proportion sale of Tickets from Stadium Committee	\$5,260.37
Training Table	657.00
Programme Rights	115.00
Transferred from Souvenir Fund	7.10
Excess Expenditure	\$6,039.47
	1,498.15
	\$7,537.62

#### EXPENDITURE.

Equipment and Repairs to same	\$2,460.33
Travelling Expense	2,866.78
Medical Supplies	161.20
Printing	45.50
Wages	160.00
Laundry	47.80
Referees and their travelling expenses	125.28
Training Table	1,076.84
Intercollegiate Fees	25.00
Entertainments	431.45
Telegraph and Telephone	42.15
General Expense	96.34
	\$7,537.62

#### HOCKEY CLUB.

##### REVENUE.

Proceeds Games—Trip to States	\$ 823.83
City League	460.62
Intercollegiate	1,693.97
	\$3,978.52
Excess Expenditure	213.52
	\$3,765.00

##### EXPENDITURE.

Travelling	\$1,364.00
Equipment	600.58
Rent of Rink	345.00
Laundry	23.80
Referee	10.00
Fees to Leagues	68.25
Telegraph and Telephone	42.12
Training Table	36.00
Medicines	82.41
General Expense	13.70
	\$3,222.04

### McGILL TRACK CLUB.

Statement of Revenue and Expenditure for Year Ended June 30th, 1920.

#### REVENUE.

Proceeds of Sports Days—Proportion from Stadium Committee	\$3,314.37
Sale of Programmes	60.10
Training Table	35.00
	\$3,399.27
Excess Expenditure	271.64
	\$3,127.63

#### EXPENDITURE.

Travelling Expenses—Varsity Team	124.35
Equipment	318.61
Training Table	69.68
Medals	100.61
Photo	8.00
Medicines	70.00
Printing	26.00
Dinner	77.00
General Expense	42.15
	\$670.91

### ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION

#### EXPENDITURE.

Fees to Other Associations	\$ 40.00
Delegates' Expenses	86.05
Towels	48.75
Padlocks, etc.	10.06
Letters "M"	153.90
Medical Services	40.00
Printing	6.14
General	25
Excess Expenditure	\$332.23

### McGILL BASKETBALL CLUB.

Statement of Revenue and Expenditure for Year Ended June 30th, 1920.

#### REVENUE.

Proceeds—Sale of Tickets	\$146.95
Excess Expenditure	563.91
	\$710.86

#### EXPENDITURE.

Travelling	\$593.08
Equipment	84.00
Fees to Leagues	13.00
General	4.78
Advertising	16.00
	\$710.86

### SWIMMING CLUB.

#### REVENUE.

Sale of Tickets—Swimming Meets	\$148.25
Polo Games	19.50
Advertising in Programmes	20.00
	\$187.75
Excess Expenditure	381.80
	\$569.55

#### EXPENDITURE.

Equipment	\$48.00
Fees	10.00
Medals	72.75
Entertainment	50.00
Printing and Advertising	77.00
Photo	6.00
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## HARD WORK-OUT AT STADIUM YESTERDAY

Prospects Look Bright For  
Nov. 6th.

QUEENS STRONGER.

Second String Players Will  
Be Given Try-Out Next  
Saturday.

When Coach Shaughnessy got through voicing his disgust at the lack of spirit shown by the McGill squad against the Varsity team on Saturday, there was not a player on the Red and White senior roster at the practice yesterday afternoon who did not agree with the redoubtable leader of the team in his verdict that the defeat was to be attributed to the lack of "pep" shown by the McGill squad against the Blue and White, and who did not determine there and then that in the two remaining games to be played no such opportunity would be given Shag to lecture on the same subject.

After the team had gone through a short work-out yesterday afternoon, the coach lined the squad up and in a few apt words told the men just how much of the fighting spirit was missing last week-end, adding that from now on nothing would do at practices except the "punch," and that for the rest of the season there was not to be a smile seen at the stadium.

That the few concise remarks were carried home was apparent by the way in which the men settled down to training afterwards, and there is no doubt now that when the Queens and Varsity squads line-up against the Red and White team here in the next two weeks, it will be a vastly more peppery fourteen that will oppose them than the squad which met them earlier in the season from McGill. There is one thing certain, and that is that it will never again be said that only one man on the whole squad played with that "never-say-die" spirit which is the tradition of Rugby at McGill.

With the game against Queens scheduled for next Saturday at the local stadium, the team resumed practice yesterday afternoon in preparation for the coming battle with the Tri-color, which promises to be a more closely contested struggle than the game played at Kingston between the two teams earlier in the season. Queens has completely reorganized its squad, and is coming to the McGill camp prepared to make the Red and White travel all the way for a victory.

As a result of last Saturday's exhibition, it is likely that several of the second string players of the first squad will be given a try-out against the Presbyterians. Carroll, the former Varsity player, will most likely be given a chance to show his mettle against the Queens' squad, while Phillips, who has been showing good form as a kicking half, may also fill in on the back division. Flanagan, who was away below par in the Varsity game on Saturday, is in hospital with an injured knee, and in all probability will be missing from the line-up next Saturday.

With the exception of Flanagan and Ambidge, who has not yet recovered completely from the crack he received on the head, all the players who took part in the Varsity tilt were out yesterday afternoon, and for the first day after a big game put in a lively work-out. After several hard runs up and down the field, the players indulged in a snappy signal practice, with Gordie Ross working at the key position behind the scrimmage. Jeff Russell, Dick Carroll, Wilson, Phillips, and John Gallery, were working out on the half-line, and went at their work with a zip that will allow no edge for Varsity in the coming game against the Blue and White. Parsons, Baillie and Livshin filled in the scrimmage, with Fitzgerald alternating with Parsons. Ross and Lazier held down their berths on the left middle, while Notman, MacGregor, and Hamilton filled in on the left.

Parkins and Nicholson were out at outside wing, but were a little the worse for their strenuous day against the Blue and White, and Murphy and Hamilton did a good deal of the work around the wing positions. Boo Anderson, Andy Rutherford, and Normie Wallace were also very much on the job.

Saturday's defeat went a long way to show the McGill squad that a little more determination is needed to bring victory to the Red and White this season, and for the rest of the week the squad will put its whole heart and soul into the game, so that in the remaining Intercollegiate fixtures the team can be counted on to show that fighting spirit which always produces results.

## GOOD TURNOUT FOR CHESS CLUB

Ladder Tournament Made In  
Order To Select Team.

An enthusiastic and well attended meeting of the Chess Club of McGill University took place at the Union last night. Considering that the meeting was the first held this season the attendance of the members augurs well for the success of the club in its work this year. Some of the players yesterday showed marked ability at the game and the team the club expect to place in the City League should give a good account of itself.

In order that the above team should represent in every way the best material of the club a competition has been started with a view to selecting the six best players. This competition is what is known in chess speech as a ladder competition. The men have been placed in order of merit, the arrangement having been made through the results of last year's tournament.

The list does by no means include all the good players of the university. The list contains the names of students who played last year and any player who would like to try to make the team can have his name included in the list if he communicates with the captain, H. S. Jordan, Monday night, at the Union. The following is the list as it stands:

- 1—R. Duberger,
- 2—N. Enzer
- 3—D. Rothschild
- 4—S. Brault
- 5—H. S. Jordan
- 6—K. W. Hunte
- 7—M. Silverman
- 8—N. Cartwright
- 9—D. Cowan
- 10—Goldman
- 11—N. A. Fels
- 12—Macpherson
- 13—J. A. Kornberg
- 14—D. Barkoff
- 15—P. G. Gauthier
- 16—A. Malkevitch
- 17—C. Latenby
- 18—T. Epstein.

The rules of the competition are as follows:

- 1—Any player can challenge the player next above him in the list.
- 2—Said challenge must be accepted and played within one week of date of acceptance.
- 3—A player defeating the man next above him will take the place of the latter in the list.
- 4—A player, on being defeated must play the man below him before attempting to play the man above him in the list.
- 5—Games may be played at any time.
- 6—The winner of such games that are not played on meeting nights must leave the results at the Union addressed to H. S. Jordan, captain, in order that these games may be properly recorded.

Those men named above who were not at the meeting last night will try to play during the week, in order that the new order of players can be ready for next Monday.

Next Monday night we hope to have a well attended meeting as an attempt has been made by the executive to have Mr. Marechal, the champion player of National Chess Club to play consecutive games with the student members. More details of this event will be made known later in the week.

## WRESTLING CLUB GETS UNDER WAY

Many New Members — Prospects Bright For Inter-collegiate Meet.

Yesterday the wrestling club held its second practice for this season. The attendance was most encouraging and the men willing to learn. The attendance was one of the largest since the B. W. & F. started, which is saying a good deal.

Work was started with MacKeen giving instruction to the beginners and Bain to the remnants of last year's class who were working on the mat. MacKeen conducted his class surprisingly well and it is hoped that when Mr. Smith takes it over next Monday he will find a class which has at least the pep and the rudiments of the art of wrestling. The beginners warmed up by going through a set of strenuous exercises which are intended to give a wrestler poise, position and balance, any one of which is an asset and all combined go to make a wrestler.

The other group under Bain were put through a review of part of the work of the previous year when the class was under the supervision of Mr. Smith and the leadership of Adams who walked away with the Intercollegiate championship in his class. The review covered a series of holds in which the half Nelson and outer arm

## FIRST SOCIAL SERVICE CLUB MEETING NEAR

Large Numbers Of New  
Members Required.

TUESDAY NIGHT.

Executive Are Hoping To  
Make A Detailed Block  
Survey.

On Tuesday evening next at seven-thirty, the Social Service Club will hold its first general meeting of the season in Strathcona Hall. Very important matters are to be brought up for discussion, and the success of the club's activities for the season will largely depend upon the decisions of those present at this meeting.

The Social Service Club is wholly and absolutely a student organization. It is distinct from the Social Service Department, although the latter takes a deep interest in the club's welfare. It owes its existence and what it has so far accomplished solely to the initiative and perseverance of a relatively small number of students. The work was undertaken with the primary purpose of reaching the newboys of Montreal in an intimate and really effective way. It was felt that this branch of the great social service field was worthy of the specialized efforts of the organization.

The first object of the club was to establish a real point of contact with the nomads of the street, an undertaking which presented no small difficulties. As a result of careful planning and organized effort, a large number of newboys were interested. A night school was formed, and at no little sacrifice, several students offered their services as teachers. The thoughts of the urchins were gradually led through games and amusements to the elements of an education. A number of the boys became regular attendants, and by the close of last season considerable progress had been made. The club closed the season with considerable satisfaction, but with the earnest desire to make the succeeding year count for even greater things.

This session the executive are hoping to organize a block survey. A block believed to be a fairly representative one for the city of Montreal has been chosen. The club's object is to examine in detail social conditions in this area. Many are beginning to recognize a need for clearer insight into the living conditions of the city to-day. Any effort to permanently improve social conditions must be based on a first hand knowledge of existing conditions. If the club can secure accurate information from the population of an entire block, it will go far towards solving many problems. Some of the more active members have already mapped out the block and spent a great deal of time in the district, but if the results are to be of any real value, a large number of students must be found willing to spend about three hours a week on this block. Anyone who may be interested in this work is asked to report at the meeting on Tuesday next. Membership is open to both men and women students.

## TRACK TEAM OFF TO-MORROW FOR TORONTO

(Continued from Page 1).

Gaboury had a slight injury to his arm last week but it is in good shape again and he is able to do his pole vaulting with ease; he is improving daily at the discus and may give a creditable showing in this event also. Dickie and McLellan will have very good men competing against them, but they are both able to hold their own and, if the competition is exceptionally keen, there will most likely be some records broken in these events.

All that the team wishes for at the present time is good weather for the remainder of the week. Conditions at this time of the year are not generally conducive to good work on the track. At some of the other colleges the weather is not so severe and the men have a better chance of training. However, if they are favored with good weather in Toronto, they will have no complaints to make as they feel that they will be able to show their best.

holds are the base. With these holds as a base long series of counters, blocks and escapes were developed to meet each special case which arose. Some of the men practised holds of a more advanced nature but such actions will not be encouraged as yet.

From the material present at last night's practice, McGill ought to be able to hold Varsity in the Assault-Arms, just as effectively as the tennis team held them on Thursday and Friday.

From McGill's team of last year MacKeen, McCaw, Montgomery, Matthews and Reid are left and many new men promise to outrun these old hands at the game.

## INITIAL MEET OF ORCHESTRA HELD FRIDAY

Programme Drawn Up For  
First Concert.

REGULAR ATTENDANCE

Prof. Gagnier Urged This  
Point As Necessary To  
Success.

The first practice meeting of the Orchestra, held in the Union on Friday last, was fairly well attended. The business of the evening was mainly of a tentative character, the object being to choose a programme for the first concert, which, it is hoped, will be put on early in December.

At the close of the meeting, Mr. Gagnier, the conductor, spoke a few words, in which he outlined the progress achieved during last session, and strongly urged the necessity of regular attendance on the part of individual members. Given this attendance, there is no reason why the December concert should not be an unqualified success.

There may be a feeling among members that the need of regular attendance is being unduly stressed so early in the season. In the light of past experience it will, however, be readily seen that sufficient emphasis can hardly be laid on its importance. If the notices published by all the clubs and societies in McGill during the last few years could be collected, what an instructive — if somewhat monotonous — volume would result. Expectant appeals, peremptory commands, appeals jocular, pathetic, grovelling, despairing — and all with one object, attendance. Some charm the reluctant with the luscious bean; others urge the sterner joys of duty or the somewhat indeterminate bait of "a good time." The orchestra has had its troubles also, possibly due to the fact that all it offers is music; which, nevertheless, to the unbiassed observer, appears to be the only inducement that musicians need.

One-half of one per cent. is generally conceded — especially on the North American continent — to be a villainously small amount; and yet, judging by the Orchestra register, this is about the proportion of musicians to others at McGill. If the resulting beverage is to have any quality at all, this one-half per cent. should be the proud possessor (not to put too fine a point upon it) of a kick like that of a mule. Perhaps this simple little analogy may drive home our point.

Monday night seems to be the most convenient day for practice. Members are accordingly requested to keep this evening free.

## COMMERCE TO HOLD MEETING

Commercial Society To  
Commence Activities On  
Wednesday.

The Commercial Society will hold its first meeting on Wednesday of this week at 8.15 p.m. For those who have never attended a meeting of the society, a resume of the activities of the past year might be of interest.

Last year was the first year, so to speak, that Commerce was put on the map. With an enrolment of over seventy in the first year, it was felt that something extra had to be done. A special effort was put forth to make the Commercial Society one of the leading clubs in the University, and for a comparatively new organization it has done remarkably well.

Some of the best business men in the city were called upon to address the Commerce students, and responded willingly. Incidentally, these men were excellent speakers and were authorities in their own line, and had a special message for the future financiers and merchants of the Commercial Society.

Sometimes, after a talk, impromptu speaking was indulged in, and many interesting points on the evening's topic were brought to light.

The meetings of the society prove an excellent place in which to form a real opinion of your professors. Each and every one of them is the best scout one could want to meet, and is heartily in sympathy with every undertaking of the club. In fact, one particularly generous member went so far as to provide the means to buy refreshments for an extra meeting. This was really choice, indeed, as the funds of the society were at a low ebb at the time.

In a political way the importance of the society cannot be over-emphasized. It is the only common ground on which the three years (or should I say four?) may meet and talk over matters of interest to the course. Several important changes were effected last year, due in large measure to the wishes of the Commercial Society. If there is anything that needs to be remedied, the Commercial Society is the proper place to bring it up and have it discussed.

Last, but not least, each meeting is capped by refreshments. The refreshment committee is an able one, and will do all in its power to give good value for the funds entrusted to it. A small yearly fee is required from each member to provide for the refreshments, and also to make each man feel that he is an active part of the organization.

This is your club, Commerce men, so all up at the first meeting on Wednesday next, and make a record attendance. An able speaker will be there, and several members of the faculty will also be present. Watch the "Daily" for further news of the Commercial Society.

## HARRIER RUN AT 4.30 p.m.

Inter-Faculty Run Will Be  
Held Next Week.

This afternoon at 4.30, there will be another run for the Harriers. The Intercollegiate meet is less than three weeks away, while the Inter-Faculty run will be held in about ten days. It is very important that all new men turn out immediately, as in this cross-country running it is absolutely necessary that competitors be in the pink of condition.

Up to the present, not enough men have entered these practice runs. Toronto is, this year, supposed to have a strong team, and McGill will require the best material she has in order to carry off the honors. The team to bear the Red and White colors will be picked at the Inter-Faculty run to be held shortly. There is still time for energetic men to get into training, but it will soon be too late. Therefore, all who can are urged to be present at the Stadium to participate in the run that will be held this afternoon at 4.30.

ARTS '21 HOLDS MEETING.

At a class meeting of Arts '21, held last Friday, the following officers were elected for the year:— President—E. C. Common. Vice-President—D'Arcy McGreary. Secretary-Treasurer—L. W. Kern. Valdictorian—J. L. Farthing. Historian—L. C. Sperber. Prophet—M. Fife. Senior Play Committee—C. Herbert. A. McIntosh and L. E. Reford. Entertainment Committee—Gus Borden.

Plans for a dinner were discussed, but no definite arrangements were made during the meeting.

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Travelling .....	\$288.05
Stationery .....	6.75
Cleaning Trophies .....	11.00
	\$569.55

MCGILL BOXING, WRESTLING AND FENCING CLUB  
Statement of Revenue and Expenditure for Year Ended June 30th, 1920.

## REVENUE.

Sale of Tickets—Meet .....	\$ 76.00
Smoker .....	113.75
Training Table .....	27.00
	\$216.75
Excess Expenditure .....	800.72
	\$1,017.47

## EXPENDITURE.

Travelling .....	\$476.20
Equipment .....	335.00
Orchestra Dance .....	21.00
Photograph .....	15.00
Blue Prints .....	6.85
Training Table .....	83.00
Cleaning .....	4.50
Carting Chairs .....	10.50
Making Boxing Ring .....	47.29
Medical .....	5.00
General Expense .....	13.13
	\$1,017.47

## HARRIER CLUB.

## REVENUE.

Excess Expenditure .....	\$ 31.30
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## EXPENDITURE.

Photograph .....	\$ 3.00
Luncheon to Visiting Teams .....	28.30
	\$ 31.30

## MCGILL TENNIS CLUB.

## Summary of Revenue and Expenditure for Year Ended June 30th, 1920.

## REVENUE.

By Sale of Tickets .....	\$872.00
Excess Expenditure .....	260.59
	\$1,132.59

## EXPENDITURE.

Equipment .....	\$163.95
Travelling Expense .....	108.90
League Fees .....	24.00
Photograph .....	6.00
Tickets .....	6.00
Wages—Caretaker .....	666.24
New Fences .....	79.40
New Courts .....	78.10
	\$1,132.59

## SKI CLUB.

## REVENUE.

Subscriptions and Exchange .....	\$107.38
Excess Expenditure .....	265.91
	\$373.29

## EXPENDITURE.

Use of Jumps .....	\$ 50.00
Training Table .....	54.00
Travelling Expense .....	131.58
Programmes .....	30.50
Equipment .....	4.00
Medals .....	88.21
Bunting and Badges .....	15.00
	\$373.29

## MCGILL LITERARY AND DEBATING SOCIETY.

## Summary of Revenue and Expenditure for Year Ended June 30th, 1920.

## EXPENDITURE.

Refreshments .....	\$36.24
Advertising .....	22.00
Telephone .....	2.25
General .....	6.61
Excess Expenditure .....	\$67.10

## MANDOLIN CLUB.

## EXPENDITURE.

Instruction .....	\$48.00
Excess Expenditure .....	\$18.06

## CANADIAN CLUB.

## EXPENDITURE.

Advertising .....	\$25.00
Expense—Speaker .....	8.00
Fisher .....	1.00
Cartage Chairs .....	5.00
General .....	.75
Rent .....	10.00
Excess Expenditure .....	\$49.75

## MCGILL ORCHESTRA.

## Summary of Revenue and Expenditure for Year Ended June 30th, 1920.

## REVENUE.

Proceeds of Concert .....	\$36.14
Excess Expenditure .....	88.91
	\$125.05

## EXPENDITURE.

Services of Conductor .....	\$105.00
Programmes .....	10.00
Cartage of Chairs .....	4.85
General .....	4.20
Usher .....	1.00
	\$125.05

BAND.  
EXPENDITURE.

Instruments .....	\$8.50
Instruction .....	7.00
Repairs .....	5.25
Excess Expenditure .....	\$20.75

## MCGILL CAMPUS RINK.

## Summary of Revenue and Expenditure for Year Ended June 30th, 1920.

## REVENUE.

Rental .....	\$305.00
Tickets .....	201.20
	\$ 506.20
Excess Expenditure .....	708.06
	\$1,214.26

## EXPENDITURE.

Wages—Making and Cleaning Rink .....	\$1,053.43
Coal—Dressing Room .....	80.40
Electricity .....	73.68
Tickets .....	6.75
	\$1,214.26

## INDOOR BASEBALL CLUB.

## EXPENDITURE.

Equipment .....	\$38.20
Telephone .....	1.55
Fees .....	10.00
Excess Expenditure .....	\$49.75

## MCGILL DAILY.

## Summary of Revenue and Expenditure for Year Ended June 30th, 1920.

## REVENUE.

Universal Fees .....	\$2,576.32
Subscriptions .....	539.70
Donations .....	25.00
	\$3,141.02

## EXPENDITURE.

Furniture .....	\$ 82.85
Repairs and Alterations .....	371.44
Stationery .....	33.75
Cuts .....	136.31
Carrying Copy .....	118.35
Printing .....	44.50
Telephone and Telegrams .....	24.73
Repairs to Typewriters .....	35.00
Travelling Expenses .....	41.43
Office Expense .....	63.10
Plas for Staff .....	55.76
Staff Super .....	43.00
Rent .....	120.00
	\$1,170.22
Excess Revenue .....	1,970.80
	\$3,141.02

## STUDENTS' COUNCIL OF MCGILL UNIVERSITY.

## Balance Sheet as at June 30th, 1920.

## ASSETS.

Cash in Bank .....	\$1,117.83
Petty Cash .....	70.00
Travelling Expense Bank Account .....	230.00
	\$1,417.83
Investments—	
Province of Quebec Bonds, bearing interest at 5 per cent., due 1926 .....	\$4,600.00
Dominion of Canada War Loan, bearing interest at 5½ per cent., due 1923 .....	1,000.00
	5,600.00
Accounts Receivable—	
McGill University .....	\$ 692.13
Sundry .....	389.20
	1,081.33
Stock on Hand, McGill Union—	
Coal, Candy and Tobacco .....	699.04
Tennis Club House and Courts .....	200.00
	\$8,998.20

## LIABILITIES.

Due to University:	
Surplus McGill Union as at June 30th, 1919 .....	\$ 386.23
Library Fund .....	374.31
Profit and Loss Account—	
Balance as at July 1st, 1919 .....	\$7,558.89
Less Account Receivable written off .....	25.00
	\$7,533.89
Add Excess Revenue as per Statement .....	703.77
	\$8,237.66
	\$8,998.20

## PERCIVAL MOLSON MEMORIAL STADIUM.

## Statement of Receipts and Disbursements for Year Ending 31st December, 1919.

## RECEIPTS.

By Gate Receipts—	
Football Games and Sports Days .....	\$12,376.62

## DISBURSEMENTS.

Expenses—	
To University:	
One-half-year's interest on \$44,325.09 to Dec. 31st, 1919 .....	\$1,105.63
Stadium Maintenance .....	91.10
Expenses incidental to Games—	
Ticket-sellers, wages, printing, etc. ....	1,131.28
	\$ 3,153.01
Allocation of Balance—As per agreement—	
\$7,500.00	
2-3 to Students' Council .....	\$5,000.00
1-3 to University payment a/c Loan .....	2,500.00
	\$7,500.00
\$1,723.61	
1-3 to Students' Council .....	\$ 574.54
2-3 Cash in Bank available for further improvements .....	1,149.07
	1,723.61
	9,223.61
	\$12,376.62

## Correspondence

The "Daily" is not responsible for the sentiments of letters published in the correspondence columns. Signed communications from graduates, undergraduates and members of the faculties will be placed in print if they are not of too great length.

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No communications will be admitted in this column without the name of the writer being attached, not necessarily for PUBLICATION.

To the Editor, "McGill Daily."

Sir,—Recent issues of the "Daily" have contained much comment on the cost of text-books in Montreal, which appears to be somewhat excessive. A suggestion has been made that some form of Co-operative Book Store be started by the University for the benefit of the student body. This scheme is of vital interest to all those connected with the University.

Since the only means of obtaining textbooks and other works is by placing orders with existing booksellers, the price demanded is necessarily fixed by the extent of the market. These dealers are in no wise dependent on the University for their continued existence, and any excess of proceeds over the cost of books laid down in this city is practically pure profit. The purchaser is thus obliged to pay a heavy price for his needs or go without, which in many cases greatly restricts the choice of reading matter that forms the basis of a University education.

An organization such as has been proposed was once attempted, but it did not prove a financial success. It appears doubtful if a new trial will be more successful, unless very carefully planned and executed, and even then the enthusiastic support of the University at large will be essential to the achievement of useful results. The following points may be of interest:—

(1) The wholesale cost of text-books, especially the better class of scientific work, is high, necessitating a large investment.

(2) There is a tendency to alter prescribed texts to meet the requirements of new lecturers and to meet new developments, which may result in a loss on investment.

(3) As the local booksellers are making a large margin of profit, they can temporarily reduce their prices to a level at which an organization operating at cost cannot effectively compete with the established trade, besides any "spite-work" or boycotting that might develop.

(4) The service involved is one of no mean order, and requires special qualifications and the expenditure of considerable personal energy and intelligence. It is not quite clear how this expenditure is to be obtained. It is hardly reasonable to expect voluntary effort to undertake this task, and the cost of paid management should be carefully gone into. It will be necessary to provide incentive for efficient operation if the proposed essay in co-operation is not to fall into desuetude after a brief period of activity.

(5) It is desirable that the University authorities should undertake the administrative work themselves, and would they be willing to attempt it?

(6) In view of the lamentable tendency of many members of the student body to slack off gradually in their support of college activities after an initial outburst of enthusiasm, can a steady and sufficient volume of trade be assured?

The writer does not wish to discourage the pursuit of this most worthy object, but merely to present the reverse of the scutcheon which it is the fashion of to-day to ignore or categorically deny.

There is a bolder solution, which has proven its worth in many parts of the world. I refer to an University Press. Oxford and Cambridge publish most of their own texts. The University of London has carried this system out to a high degree of perfection. Harvard has its five-foot shelf of classics. Why not a McGill University Press?

This could take care of scientific papers and books, for which no first-class press exists in Canada. When men like Rutherford, Osler, Callendar and their ilk do their best work here, why cannot they publish under the aegis of the University, enhancing its reputation and setting the hall-mark of excellence on their reputations? The Press could be separated from the actual organization of the University, which would benefit under a "most favoured nation" clause, and outside work could be effected and the usefulness of the University brought before the public at large in a striking manner. The general work of a book-seller could thus be carried on in such a manner as to fulfill all the functions of an University bookshop.

H. WYATT JOHNSTON.

## MCGILL RIFLE CLUB.

The club will hold a shoot this afternoon, weather permitting. Meet at the Arts Building at 1:15 p.m. (one-fifteen). Be prompt so as to catch the 2 o'clock car at Lasalle street.

## LISTEN FELLOWS!

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